DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE Antitrust Division

Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993 - Pistoia Alliance, Inc.

Notice is hereby given that, on January 11, 2021, pursuant to Section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. Section 4301 et_seq. (the "Act"), Pistoia Alliance, Inc. filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing changes in its membership. The notifications were filed for the purpose of extending the Act's provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances. Specifically, Titian Software, London, UNITED KINGDOM; Alexander Lavrentios (individual), Wellesley, MA; Galapagos N.V., Vlaanderen, BELGIUM; Richard Lingard (individual), London, UNITED KINGDOM; Adil Khan (individual), Lutherville, MD; McKinsey & Company, Berlin, GERMANY; QIAGEN, Redwood City, CA; Sartorius, Gottingen, GERMANY; Mcule, Budapest, HUNGARY; MolPort, Riga, LATVIA; Apheris AI GmbH, Berlin, GERMANY; ZS Associates, Inc., San Mateo, CA; UMEDEOR Ltd., New York, NY; and US Pharmacopeia, Rockville, MD have been added as parties to this venture.

Also, UniteLabs AG, Basel-Stadt, SWITZERLAND; Valtari Bio Inc., Austin, TX; KWS SAAT SE, Lower Saxony, GERMANY; Repositive, Cambridgeshire, UNITED KINGDOM; and Fulcrum Direct Ltd., Wales, UNITED KINGDOM have withdrawn as parties to this venture.

No other changes have been made in either the membership or planned activity of the group research project. Membership in this group research project remains open, and Pistoia Alliance, Inc. intends to file additional written notifications disclosing all changes in membership.

On May 28, 2009, Pistoia Alliance, Inc. filed its original notification pursuant to Section 6(a) of the Act. The Department of Justice published a notice in the Federal Register pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act on July 15, 2009 (74 FR 34364).

The last notification was filed with the Department on October 19, 2020. A notice was published in the Federal Register pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act on November 19, 2020 (85 FR 73749).

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